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PATENT APPLICATION

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Title: MANAGING THE LIFETIME OF DISTRIBUTED RESOURCE DATA USING TEMPORAL SCOPES



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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Response/Amendment ( ) Petition to extend time to respond  
( ) New fee as calculated below ( ) Supplemental Declaration  
(X) No additional fee  
( ) Other: \_\_\_\_\_ (fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
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TOTAL CLAIMS	24	MINUS	24	= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$120.00	2ND MONTH \$450.00	3RD MONTH \$1020.00	4TH MONTH \$1590.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
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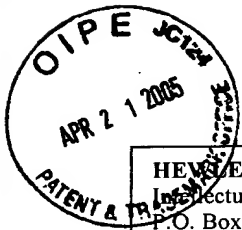
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**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated February 23, 2005, finally rejecting claims 1-6 and 13-18, please reconsider the above-identified U.S. patent application in light of the following:

**No Amendments to the Claims** have been made herein. A complete listing of the pending claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper, has been provided for the Examiner's convenience.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.